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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: John A. Lowe :

Examiner: Cybille Delacroix-Muirheid

APPLICATION NO.: 09/007,268 :

Group Art Unit: 1

FILING DATE: January 14, 1998 :

TITLE: Fluoroalkoxybenzylamino Derivatives :
of Nitrogen Containing Heterocycles

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Reply with Amendment

The present Reply with Amendment is in response to the Examiner's Official Action herein mailed July 16, 2002 whereinby Claims 33, 36-57, and 60-62 were allowed, and Claims 58-59 were rejected. It is believed that the below amendments correct the antecedent basis and grammar problems in Claims 58-59, so that the application may proceed to allowance.

Applicants amend as follows

58. (Amended) A method for treating or ~~preventing~~ a condition selected from the group consisting of inflammatory diseases, anxiety, colitis, depression or dysthymic disorders, psychosis, pain, gastroesophageal reflux disease, allergies, chronic obstructive airways disease, hypersensitivity disorders, vasospastic diseases, fibrosing and collagen diseases, reflex sympathetic dystrophy, addiction disorders, stress related somatic disorders, peripheral neuropathy, neuralgia, neuropathological disorders, disorders related to immune enhancement or suppression, and rheumatic diseases in a mammal, comprising administering to a mammal in need of such treatment or ~~prevention~~, a pharmaceutical composition that comprises a compound of the formula